HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 1141 By Turner B

A RESOLUTION to honor Sandra D. Love for her many and varied accomplishments as Director of Multi-Cultural Services with the Chattanooga Convention and Visitors Bureau and throughout her career.

WHEREAS, the members of this General Assembly are pleased to specially recognize those talented and energetic individuals whose commitment to their careers and to the mission of the entities for which they work serve as an inspiration for all who follow them; and

WHEREAS, one such dedicated and talented Tennessean is Sandra D. Love, who for twelve years was employed by the Chattanooga Convention and Visitors Bureau, first in Visitors Services and later as Director of Multicultural Development, working with the religious market; in the last three years of her tenure, the rate of religious meetings increased in Chattanooga until at the time of her departure, the religious market comprised 33 percent of all meetings booked by the Bureau; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Love received her higher education at the University of Tennessee at Knoxville, where she majored in Business Administration; following a three-year stint as a Merchandise Coordinator with Neiman Marcus in Houston, Texas, in June 1985, she became an Administrative Assistant in the Hamilton County Health Department, in which position she was responsible for educating the community about child safety devices; and

WHEREAS, in November of 1985, Sandra Love went to work for the Hamilton County Convention and Trade Center as a Business Assistant; she advanced steadily there, becoming a Personnel Coordinator in December 1986, an Events Coordinator in December 1987, and finally the Events Services Manager in December 1988, a position that she held until October 1990, when she moved to Hartford, Connecticut to serve as Manager of Special Events for Capitol Hall; and

WHEREAS, in March of 1991 Ms. Love returned to Chattanooga to serve as Catering Manager at the Chattanooga Choo Choo, and in December of that year she assumed the duties of Facility Rental Coordinator at the Tennessee Aquarium; in March of 1993 she began her outstanding tour of duty with the Chattanooga Convention and Visitors Bureau; and

WHEREAS, throughout her illustrious career, Sandra Love has demonstrated the utmost professionalism, ability and integrity, winning the unbridled respect and admiration of both her colleagues and superiors, compiling an exemplary record that should be acknowledged and applauded; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, that we commend Sandra D. Love for her outstanding record of professional accomplishment at the Chattanooga Convention and Visitors Bureau and throughout her career, and offer her our best wishes for every success in all her future endeavors and much happiness in the years to come.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.

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